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DESTROYER SUNK - MANY LOST

HALIFAX IS SUFFERING IN GRIP OF STORM

(By Associated Press)
Halifax, N. S., Dec. 8.—A blinding "north country" snow storm and gale that at times reached a velocity of more than forty miles an hour, held this city of destruction in its grasp for the past twenty-four hours. The Massachusetts relief train that

was due to arrive this morning, was stalled in snow drifts near Amherst last night. Snow-plows tried to clear the tracks but the progress was slow. The time of arrival is now uncertain. Other relief trains are also reported.

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U. S. Torpedo Boat Jacob Jones Sunk While on Patrol Duty in War Zone, Dec. 6—Only Ten Survivors Thus Far Reported—Was in Command of Secre- tary Daniels' Brother-in-Law

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 8.—The American torpedo boat destroyer Jacob Jones was torpedoed and sunk in the war zone Thursday. A large part of the crew is known to have perished when

the destroyer went down.

Thirty-seven survivors were taken off on life rafts before the Jones made her plunge to the bottom. The names of ten of the survivors have been received by the Navy Department.

The ten survivors are:
Lieut. John K. Richards.
Ensign Nelson N. Gates.
Asst. Surgeon L. L. Adamkiewicz.
Fireman Charles E. Pelree.
Chief Machinist's Mate Henry A. Stutze.

Seaman Timothy Edward Twoomey.
Seaman John C. Johnson.
Fireman (2d class) Edward T. Grady.
Seaman John J. Mulvaney.
Seaman Myron Flood.

The sinking occurred Dec. 6 at 8 p. m., while the Jones was doing patrol duty. It was in command of Lieut. Commander David Worth Bagley, brother of Mrs. Josephus Daniels, whose husband is the Secretary of the Navy.

Inasmuch as Admiral Sims did not mention the name of Commander Bagley in his report to the Navy Department, it is the general opinion that the commander went down with his ship.

The complement of the Jones in peace times was five officers, five petty officers, and eighty-seven men. At this time it is believed that the number reaches well over 100.

In the first reports it is indicated that about 60 members of the crew perished when it was torpedoed and sunk.

In the rolling sea of the north Atlantic at this time of the year the submarine probably had an opportunity to pick her time and take aim unbeknown to the destroyer's crew.

It is believed that the submarine came upon the patrol boat while it was in the course of duty during darkness. This would tend to give the raider all the best of the battle.

No details concerning the encounter were contained in today's dispatches. When a submarine gets a hit of this kind it is considered a chance more than skill.

The large loss of lives leads the authorities to believe that the torpedo exploded squarely against the thin hull of the American ship, literally blowing it out of the water.

WILL SEND RELIEF FROM LOCAL YARD

Secretary Daniels Offers Red Cross 25,000 Blankets and 600 Stoves from the Portsmouth Navy Yard for Relief Work in Halifax

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Secretary Daniels of the Navy today offered the Red Cross a quantity of supplies at the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard for the use of relief work at Halifax.

These ships have been directed to do all that they can to relieve suffering and assist in the rescue work.

Another ship will leave Provincetown, Mass., tomorrow with a hospital unit and supplies aboard.

The supplies at the Portsmouth yard include 25,000 blankets and 600 stoves.

Ten ships are now nearing the devastated city and will work under the

northern Italy now reach a total of 16,000, according to an official statement issued by the Austrian war office today.

Several strong points east of the Asiatic plateau have been stormed by the Austro-German forces.

BENEFIT FOR SUFFERERS SUGGESTED

Albert Kurtz, the well known violinist and Urban Lehoux called in The Herald office this noon an offer of their services in connection with the giving of a benefit for the Halifax sufferers. Lieut. Commander Thomas Mott Osborne will also give his services. Let's make it a success.

The Herald's telephone has been kept going with suggestions all day. The matter will soon be carried out by the Chamber of Commerce.

The advisors for the Home for Aged Women met at the home on Friday afternoon.

NAVY YARD GIVES SUM OF \$1,500 FOR SUFFERERS

Money Collected in Shops for Halifax in Short Period.

The Portsmouth navy yard officers and workmen today showed the spirit once more in coming to the aid of the Halifax sufferers. Under the direction of Naval Constructor Schibach, shop superintendent, a collection was made among the employees and up to 2.30 the sum of \$1500 had been collected for this most worthy purpose. The men gave generously and the collectors expect to add several more hundreds before the fund is closed.

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EQUADOR BREAKS WITH GERMANY

(By Associated Press)
Quaquau, Ecu., Dec. 8.—The government has severed relations with Germany according to an official message issued by the government today.

BROADWAY'S FIRST GIRL CONDUCTORS

New York, Dec. 8.—Nineteen young women made their appearance on Broadway yesterday as street railway conductors. They wear blue skirts and mannish coats, with caps like those of the men conductors.

ITALY LOSES 16,000 MEN

(By Associated Press)
London, Dec. 8.—Italians captured in the new Austro-German offensive in



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GERMANS TAKEN AT FORE RIVER

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Mass., Dec. 8.—Three German spy suspects have been arrested without a break in work in the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company at Quincy. Germans have been discovered working in the shipyard under the protection of Russian names and delegations of Russian citizenship.

Another anti-American sympathizer has been arrested there for insulting the uniform of a United States soldier.

The big military guard thrown all around the vast yards during the strike troubles a few weeks ago has been put on duty again, and anti-espionage precautions have been redoubled.

Along the Fore River shore where every week sees some new fighting craft taking the water, the stage is all set for the biggest and most thorough hunt ever held there.

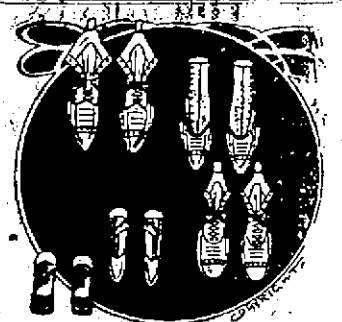
Under the spurring influence of the proclamation, barring the entrance of enemy aliens to waterfront and municipal zones and the momentarily expected declaration of war against Austria, the fine-tooth comb of the U. S. secret service men has been run through the vast army of 9000 workmen and women employees of the company at Fore River and thousands more employed in constructing the Squantum plant where destroyers will be built.

Aside from the secret service men, the police and the military guards with their loaded rifles, the Fore River concern has in the thousands of workmen at the plant an army of loyal independent spy catchers. They are proud of their work and their own work badges and no suspicious activities or rebellious conversation escapes their notice. The loyal ones are very quick to report to the officials.

There are thousands of strange and peculiar names on the pay roll of the Fore River concern, but just at present the quickest and most thorough cause for summary discharge there is the possession of a name or nature that savors Hapsburgs or the Hohenzollerns.

EXETER

Exeter, Dec. 8.—Lectures arranged for the Merrill Lecture Course are: December 12, Francis Wilson on "The Humorous Side of an Actor's Life"; Jan. 10, John I. Solomon, "The Romance of Pearl Fishing," illustrated; Jan. 16, Arthur Delroy, "A Psychic Melange"; Jan. 23, William H. Taft, "The Great War"; Jan. 30, Donald B. McMillan, "The Search for New Land."



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Illustrated; Feb. 5, Lincoln Wright, "Our Little Brothers in Fur"; Feb. 27, Capt. A. Radelyk, "Dugmore, 'Fighting It Out'." Illustrated. Others will be arranged for and announced later.

In the last month the Exeter Chapter of the Red Cross shipped from its rooms to the distribution station, 2700 surgical dressings, 24 suits of pajamas, 192 surgical shirts, six shoulder wraps, 94 sweaters, 48 helmets, 49 pairs of

writers, 28 pairs of service socks, 32 pairs of hospital socks, 33 mufflers, five washcloths, 43 bath mits and 284 filled Christmas bags. The branches whose contributions are included in the are those from Newmarket, Newfields, Hampton, Hampton Falls, Stratford, Kensington, and Kingston.

Service flags were raised yesterday at the Odd Fellows' block and at the Red Men's hall for members of the Sagamore Lodge, I. O. O. F., and of the Woburnville Tribe of Red Men who are in the service.

The Sagamore lodge flag has eight stars the members being: Alexander Bell, George Kershaw, Robert H. Seaward, James A. Eastman, Harold Brown, Joseph Cummings, August G. Kurtz and Lee H. Taylor.

The Red Men in the service are: Earl H. Covey, Edward Campbell, Ray Simpson, Oils Cammett and Elwood B. Roberts.

Clifton W. Ellwell has been appointed special agent or supervisor of agencies for the Commercial Union Insurance company of New York, his territory to include Maine and New Hampshire.

Secretary Lawrence K. Hawes of the Rockingham County Y. M. C. A. accompanied by Clarence Holt, Ray Moore and Donald Pressey of the local Y. M. C. A. organization left yesterday morning for Manchester to attend the three days' state Y. M. C. A. convention which opened there today.

Rev. John A. Tidd of Merrimack, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Rev. C. A. Towne of Haverhill, Mass. conducted the prayer meeting at the Baptist church on Thursday evening.

Banned-battalion movements were held yesterday afternoon by the academy

PLANS TO ENTERTAIN GRANGERS

Concord, Dec. 8.—The meeting of the state grange which will be held in Concord Wednesday and Thursday of next week, it is expected, will be one of the banner meetings of recent years. Every indication points to the largest attendance in years and the Concord Board of Trade is making every effort to provide for the many who will attend the convention. A directory of rooms available for grangers has been prepared by Secretary William W. Theyer and already many reservations have been made.

Concord's welcome to the state grange will be held in the auditorium on Monday evening when President Edwin J. Chase of the board of trade will welcome the Grangers in the Capital City. The response will be made by Wesley Adams of Derry, master of the state body. The address of the evening will be given by Rev. Archibald Black of the South Congregational church, Little Sylvia Dennerley will entertain with readings. Miss Gladys Davis of How grange will give piano solos and the Capital City quartet will sing.

NEWCASTLE

New Castle, Dec. 8.—It is pleasing to chronicle that the musical entertainment under the auspices of Port Constitution Red Cross Chapter, Friday evening brought to Pythian hall an audience that crowded the house to its doors and gave many demonstration of their enjoyment and the most sanguine anticipations were realized. But then with such an active leader as Mrs. Joseph Boylston, assisted by Miss Marion Taylor, Mrs. Oliver B. Marvin, Mrs. William Taylor, pushing the affair something closer naturally followed. The program:

Musical.....Messrs. Carson, etc.
Monologue.....Mr. Barney
Song.....Mrs. Baxter
Violin Solo.....Mr. Gupilli
Song.....Mr. Frazer
Musical.....Messrs. Carson, etc.
Song.....Mr. Barney
Musical Comedy, Hall and Cavanaugh
Monologue.....Mr. Barney
Song.....Mr. Poole
Musical.....Messrs. Carson, etc.
Song.....Mr. De Cof
Trilo.....Messrs. Poole, Gupilli, Noyes
"The Star Spangled Banner"

Following the entertainment dancing was indulged in until a late hour. This up-to-the-minute chapter have made good from the start. Here's to the success of their next in 1918.

Miss Bernice Remick of Rye is the guest of friends.

Miss Ina Hazen of Newmarket is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Boylston.

Mrs. Nettie Brewster of the Isles of Shoals is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. George B. Barker.

Miss Mattie Jones of Salem, Mass. is passing the week-end with Mr. Elmer Watson and family.

Miss Marion McGraw of Portsmouth is the guest of William Gupilli and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Hunscom, Miss Sarah Marvin, Mrs. Florence Smith, Miss Pearl Ward, Mrs. J. B. Brown of Portsmouth were among those present at Pythian hall last evening.

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN CASH

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 8.—One thousand dollars in cash. This Christmas present will be given away to the man, woman or child who can tell the most.

How to tip off the Germans about Wilson's message to congress.

General Frank Streeter, president of the New Hampshire Defense League, made this offer last night on behalf of the National Security League of which he is executive committee member and which the Defense League is the state branch for New Hampshire.

This is a bona fide proposition and open to one and all, nobody barred and no strings attached. General Streeter says:

A wealthy gentleman whose name will not be published has placed \$1000 in our hands for a prize. The person who can tell the best method of getting President Wilson's message to congress, which was delivered on Tuesday afternoon, into the hands of the German people, gets the money.

The judge of the contest will be Judge James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany. The contest is not limited to members of the Defense League anybody can compete.

Now is the time for inventors, diplomats and other stay-at-homes who have genius to win the prize and help the nation.

KITTERY

Kittery, Dec. 8.—At the business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society held Thursday evening at the vestry of the Second Christian church, the following officers were elected for the next six months: President, Earle Kimble; vice president, Maurice L. Duncan; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles Manson; corresponding secretary, Miss V. May Moody; treasurer, Mrs. G. F. Hayes; pianist, Mrs. George Seaward; assistant pianist, Mrs. F. L. Parker. A social hour followed, the feature being the Christmas tree on which were gifts for all present.

Mrs. Charles Blaisdell, Mrs. Warren Blaisdell and Miss Alma Blaisdell of York were guests of Mrs. Arthur Baker on Friday afternoon.

The Riverside Reading Club held a regular meeting on Friday afternoon with Mrs. William Locke of Locke's Cove, twenty members being present. After the business session work was continued on the surgical dressings under the direction of Mrs. Fred Pryor of Melrose, Mass., who came especially to give instruction in this work, and she will probably be present at the next meeting, Dec. 21, at the home of Mrs. Ira Keene. While the work was being done, sketches of the lives of famous painters were read by Mrs. Charles Duncan, and violin and piano selections were rendered by Mrs. Charles Rudolph and Mrs. Charles Waggatt.

Services will be held next Sunday at the First Methodist church as usual. At 10.45 a. m. the pastor, Rev. B. F. Wentworth, will preach on 1 John 5:4, "Working Power." The Sunday school will meet at 12 m. as usual. Preaching at 7.30 p. m. by the pastor on John 20:39, "The Deeper Blessing." All who come will be given a hearty welcome.

The Swastika Club held a regular meeting on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Stephen Hobbs of Kittery Depot.

The Ladies' Union of the People's Society of North Kittery will have its Christmas sale and entertainment at the Community House on Tuesday evening, Dec. 11.

A club of four little folks has been

formed, its object being to carry flowers and messages of cheer to those who are ill or shut in. The name is the "Banner Club" and the members are Grace Jenner, Horace Jenner, Robert Grant and Theodore Murry.

Mrs. Howard Amee, who is ill at the Portsmouth hospital, is rapidly improving.

J. F. O'Donnell has concluded his duties in town and returned to his home in Manchester.

Mrs. Henry D. Shaw, who has been ill the past four weeks, is improving and expects to sit up daily.

Second Christian Church, Rev. Carl L. Nichols, pastor—Morning worship at 10.30; Sunday school will be omitted; Christian Endeavor meeting at 8; evening worship at 7.

Government Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. John Frank Jenner, pastor; Miss Ellen Bowden, organist—There will be no Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning worship, subject, "The Supremacy of Christ"; 5 p. m., vesper service, subject, "Seeming contradictory elements in the unique personality of Christ"; 6 p. m., Epworth League, topic, Epworth Herald Night, "One for All, for All Are One." A cordial welcome is given to everyone to come to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Traflet and daughter, Josephine, of Lotts avenue, passed Thursday in Portland.

There will not be a special meeting of Naval Lodge of Masons tonight owing to a quarantine at Camp Devens.

The sale of Red Cross Christmas seals in Kittery in the interest of Anti-Tuberculosis, is this year in charge of the local branch of the Red Cross, and the seals can be found at the following places: Walker's variety store, Clark's drug store and the office of George D. Boulter; Hobbs & Sterling's at Kittery Depot and Mrs. W. P. Tobey's at Kittery Point.

Sunday school sessions will be omitted tomorrow at both local churches.

Lost—Thursday afternoon, Dec. 6, on Government street, between Otis avenue and Samuel Keen house, an old rose sweater in creton bag. Finder please return to Mrs. Harvey Grant, Otis avenue.

THIRTY MORE MEN FOR TECH AVIATION SCHOOL

Boston, Mass., Dec. 8.—Thirty more New Englanders yesterday were ordered to the Government aviation school at Technology to begin training today for commissions. They were:

Frank J. Davis, West Somerville; John de F. Barker, St. Albans, Vt.; Martin J. Cain, Medford; Horace A. Savoy, Brockton; Edward T. O'Donnell, Springfield; Clinton A. Oliver, Hampton, Conn.; Harry F. Murchie, Calais, Me.; John P. McCarthy, Holyoke; George A. Allen, Allston; Russell D. Tufts, North Weymouth; Fred J. Doherty, Revere; Harold T. Crockett, Lynn; Edward S. Beck, Brookline; Jared J. Mowry, Southbridge; Oscar W. Tyler, Marlboro, Va.; James W. Washburne, Lenoxdale, Mass.

Charles E. Little, Melrose; Bruce V. Wakefield, Lyndonville, Vt.; Elmer F. Walsh, Portsmouth, N. H.; Henry G. Melhorn, Westboro; Theo. C. Gray, Dorchester; Stanley F. Stowers, Revere; George G. Keller, Boston; Karl P. Schmitt, Danie, N. H.; William J. Buckley, Bridgeport, Conn.

Merrill B. Walker, Newton Highlands; Earle H. Graham, Harthand, Vt.; Edward P. Wells, Milford; John A. Simpson, Roxbury; Malcolm W. Moss, Middletown, Conn.

WILL CONSIDER PAPER PRICE

Washington, Dec. 7.—Plans for an investigation to determine a fair price for newspaper paper will be taken up at a conference tomorrow between the Trade Commission officials and attorneys for newspaper manufacturers. Under a recent agreement made by the manufacturers with Government officials and publishers, the Trade Commission is to set a price on newspaper beginning April 1 next. Until then the paper will be sold on a basis of three cents a pound.

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DOES NOT
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IN DOVER

Dover, Dec. 8.—Marshal Wilkinson yesterday received a telegram from the superintendent of police at Detroit, Mich., saying that John W. Fuller is not wanted by the Detroit authorities.

Fuller went to the police station Monday and informed the marshal that he shot an officer in Detroit in 1913. The telegram received yesterday is the result of a careful investigation by the Detroit police.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Manning Lawry and daughter Gladys left this morning to spend a few days with relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Emory Currier spent Friday evening with friends in town.

Miss Alice Patch will entertain the Nipic Camp Fire Girls at her home this evening.

Thurston Patch who is on the tug Mitchell Davis, in Boston, spent Friday evening at his home here.

Francis West returned to his work at the navy yard this morning after a week's vacation.

Captain Fred Chase of Boston visited his family in town on Friday evening.

Harry Witham has concluded his duties as clerk at Frisbee Brothers store and has joined the coast patrol in the Portsmouth harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman D. Graham of State College, Pa., are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter. Mr. Graham was an officer in the coast survey here the past summer and was well known.

The willing workers were entertained by Mrs. Amos Amee on Thursday all day.

Mrs. Victor Amee of Kittery spent Thursday with friends in town.

A society meeting of the Free Baptist church will be held at 7 o'clock on Monday evening at the vestry. All members are requested to attend.

Congregational Church
11, Morning service; Rev. John A. Waterworth, minister.
12, Sunday school; Miss Duncan, superintendent.

Free Baptist Church
10.45, Morning worship, Rev. E. W. Cummings, pastor. Topic, "America's Loyalty."
12.50, Sunday school, Mrs. Frisbee, superintendent.
7, Evening service. Topic, "A Noble Effort."

First Christian Church
11.45, Junior Christian Endeavor.
12.30, Sunday school, Mrs. Clawson, superintendent.
2, Preaching service, Rev. W. T. Coffin, pastor.
6.15, Young People's meeting.
7, Evening service.

THE OLD STUFF AGAIN

Biddeford Journal—Notwithstanding the exorbitant propaganda of Chad and Squire Wormwood of the Kennebec and Biddeford Journals, respectively, we understand Secretary Daniels is firmly convinced that it was the Portsmouth navy yard who visited on Sunday—Manchester Union. Josephus ought to know.

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BLAINE-GOODING WEDDING A BRILLIANT AFFAIR

Ceremony at Unitarian Church With Father of Bride Officiating

The marriage of Miss Eleanor, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Gooding of Court street, and Mr. Emmons Blaine, son of Mrs. Emmons Blaine of Chicago and a grandson of that noted statesman the late James G. Blaine, was solemnized at four o'clock Friday afternoon at the Unitarian church on State street.

It was one of the most brilliant social weddings in this city for years and attended by several hundred people, including many from Boston and Chicago.

The church was simply, but effectively decorated with southern simlax and candles, while the national colors were draped over the organ. The chancel was decorated in the form of an arch, festooned with simlax and surmounted with candles. Around the church at the windows were clusters of candles which together with those over the arches gave a soft light that added to the effectiveness of the decorations.

Mr. Walter Damrosch, the conductor of the New York Symphony Orchestra, and an uncle of the groom, presided at the organ and played the wedding march as the bridal party entered the church.

The bride was very beautiful in a gown of white satin trimmed with chiffon and she wore a tulle veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of orchids and lilies.

She was attended by Misses Elizabeth Moen of Worcester and Anita Aldrich of Chicago, who were gowned in light blue velvet with tulle trimmings and carried bouquets of pink rose buds.

The marriage was performed by the bride's father who with the groom and best man, Mr. Elliott Dunlap Smith of Chicago, met the bride at the chancel rail.

The ushers were Messrs. Cyrus Mo-

Cormick Jr., Harold F. McCormick Jr., Lawrence Dunlap Smith and Maurice Fremont Smith of Chicago and Frederick Gooding, a brother of the bride, and Mr. Ralph May of this city.

Following the church services a reception was held at the home of the bride on Court street, the house being very prettily decorated with white chrysanthemums and southern simlax.

The bridal party were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Emmons Blaine and Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Gooding, and there were about two hundred present at the reception. T. D. Cook of Boston catered.

Included among the guests were many from Chicago, coming east on a special train for the ceremony and returning last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine, after an extended wedding tour, will reside at Lake Forest, Wis., where the groom has a large stock farm, with which he has been very successful.

The bride is one of the most brilliant of the young society set, a girl with a keen sense of sympathy and a preoccupation of the problems of life and she has been of exceptional value in all war relief work. She was very active in the Girls' Club and later in the Girls' Patriotic League and could always be counted on to do her full share. Her popularity was somewhat attested by the truly wonderful wedding gifts.

The groom is a grandson on his mother's side of the late Cyrus McCormick of Chicago, and a graduate of Harvard University in 1914, and a member of several clubs.

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BRITISH LOST 10,000 AT CAMBRAI

British Headquarters, Dec. 7.—A high authority here estimates the German casualties since the beginning of the Cambrai battle at 100,000. It is a subject on which we have no date to base an individual opinion, but certainly the casualties were extraordinarily large. The readjustment of our line was effected without the sacrifice of even a yard of telephone or telegraph wire. The chief disappointment will be felt by our retirement from the heights of Bourlon Woods, but the wood was a loathsome place, when it formed as it did an acute angle at the end of the salient. The wood itself is shattered and ploughed through with shells full of pools of stagnant water holding dead men. It has been continuously drenched with gas until the garrison had almost five gas masks apiece. As the height which dominates Cambrai is in our possession it was in convenient for the enemy. It is a useful thing to possess, but it by no means commands the country on our side as it does beyond our lines.

This withdrawal by no means begins to convert our recent victory into a defeat. As far as German attempts to inflict that defeat are concerned they have regressed only in the defeat and colossal losses for themselves after the small gains and captures of prisoners and guns in the first rush. What remains to our credit is that the breach in the Hindenburg line, the whole of which was taken, remains in our hands, with all its support of main line trenches as well as a large tract of country and some villages. We have seven or eight thousand prisoners more than he has taken, and somewhere around a hundred guns more than he has, of ours. Whether we accept the estimate of 100,000 losses or not, there is no doubt his casualties are many times heavier than ours.

EXPLOSION HEARD AT RYE

The residents of Rye and North Hampton were somewhat disturbed on Friday afternoon by a series of explosions which were distinctly heard in these two towns and in Hampton.

At North Hampton some people state that the houses shook and that there were three distinct shocks. In Rye the explosion was heard and the telephone central was besieged with inquiries and the operator finally sent somebody out to see if it was dynamite being used for blasting, but could not find any trace of this work.

At Hampton railroad station the shocks were heard and commented upon, but nobody could seem to locate them. Inquiry in this city failed to secure any evidence that the shocks were overheard here. It is supposed that it was heavy blasting somewhere, but after the news of the Halifax disaster people were quickly frightened.

STRICKEN HALIFAX SWEEP BY BLIZZARD

(By Associated Press)
Halifax, Dec. 7.—Stricken Halifax was swept tonight by a raging blizzard and so fierce was the storm that rescue workers were forced to quit their work of hunting for the dead and injured in the ruins of the city.

It is believed certain that all injured caught in the wreckage have perished from cold and hunger before this time. Battered by a biting wind and blinding snow the plight of the survivors of the disaster is desperate. Windows and doors are off the houses giving a free sweep to the wind and snow in many sections of the city and especially in the Richmond district.

The city was again in darkness tonight, except from the few scattered oil lamps, which unless well protected from the wind were constantly being extinguished.

The suffering of those who escaped death in the great disaster of Thursday is steadily growing worse, as all of the blankets have been seized for the injured in the improvised hospitals. Tonight there is a serious fear that the exposure to the cold and the shocks may result in an epidemic of pneumonia.

A single telegraph wire, bending and threatening to go down under the weight of the snow, is all that connects Halifax with the outside world.

While train loads of supplies are speeding toward the city, famine looms up tonight, for while there is enough food for the present there is danger of the outside communication being cut off by the storm.

The enormity of the disaster increased during the day, as hundreds of bodies were brought into the morgue. No concentrated effort has been made as yet to compile the list of the dead, all of the work being pressed on the effort to identify the victims, although

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Breast Chains, some with knife attached \$1.00 to \$4.00

GIFT HINTS

Handkerchiefs, plain and initialed 50c to 50c
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Arm Bands 10c to 50c
Garters 25c to 50c
Collar Bags 50c to \$4.00
Manicure Sets 25c to \$3.00
Toilet Sets \$3.00 to \$5.00
Bill Folds 50c to \$5.00
Key Purses 25c to 50c
Handkerchief Cases \$1.00 to \$5.00
Card Bibles 50c to \$1.00
Military Brushes 50c to \$1.50
Cigar and Cigarette Cases \$1.00 to \$2.00
Clothes Brushes 35c to \$1.75
Coin Purses 25c
Tobacco Pouches 50c
Money Belts 50c to \$1.25
Bridge Sets \$2.00 to \$3.00
Hose, some Holiday boxed 20c to \$1.50
Men's and Boys' Leather Gloves 50c to \$4.00
Men's and Boys' Wool Gloves 15c to 75c
Women's, Boys' and Men's Fur Gloves \$4.00 to \$15.00
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Bags 50c to \$2.00
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Trunks \$5.00 to \$25.00
Umbrellas \$1.25 to \$5.00
Boys' Sweaters \$1.00 to \$5.00
Men's Sweaters \$2.50 to \$12.00
Boys' Stockings \$4.00 to \$12.00
Men's Mackinaws \$5.00 to \$15.00
Sweaters \$1.00 to \$12.00
Automobile Blankets and Steamer Rugs \$5.00 to \$13.00
Mats and Boys' Pajamas \$1.25 to \$2.00
Night Robes 50c to \$1.25

GIFT HINTS

Dorothy Dodd Shoes \$4.00 to \$10.00
Women's Walkover Shoes \$5.00 to \$10
Men's Walkover Shoes \$5.00 to \$8.50
Boy Scout Shoes \$3.00 to \$4.00
Bath Slippers 35c and 50c
Children's, Women's and Men's Moccasins \$1.00 to \$3.50
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FINAL DRAFT IN JANUARY

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Ayer, Mass., Dec. 7.—The final 15 percent of the first draft will not be called until January unless something happens to change the plans. That date is set in order to secure the necessary supplies, but it is expected that the last 5,000 would be in the camps by next month. The arrival of 100,000 men transferred from this camp to the various camps was given out today.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

Second Sunday in Advent—Holy Communion, 8.00 a. m.; morning prayer, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening song, 7.30 p. m.

Holy communion, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, at 7.30 a. m.; Tuesday, 9.30 a. m., with special prayers for the army and navy.

Advent Intercessions, Wednesday, at 7.30 p. m.
Evensong, Friday, 7.30 p. m.
The Vestry will meet at the rectory, Wednesday at 8.00 p. m.

SUPPLY BILLS BEING RUSHED IN CONGRESS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—Breaking all regular speed limits, the postoffice supply bill was introduced in the house today by the committee on Postoffice. It carried \$33,500,000 and a new item is \$1,200,000 for foreign mail censorship.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, December 8, 1917.

Impractical, Hysterical and Foolish.

Some striking propositions are being advanced these days as war and conservation measures. Recently it has been proposed to close the public schools for two months for the purpose of saving coal, the last time to be made up during the heated term next summer, and now there comes a call for closing down all the industries of the country for two weeks—from December 22 to January 7. The claim made in behalf of this bold stroke is that it would "relieve railroad congestion, relieve embargoes that are resultant from railroad congestion, enable the plants to clean up their mills and factories, prevent worse shipping conditions, which will prevail during the winter season if relief is not soon afforded, and produce a generally better and more satisfactory business condition."

But would not this be a costly way to relieve railroad congestion and bring about the other benefits which it is claimed would ensue? The stoppage of an important industry in any community for two weeks is regarded as a serious matter, and the effect of the stoppage of all the leading industries of the country for that length of time can hardly be imagined. The majority of the employees of these industries use their wages as fast as they earn them, and to throw them out of work for two weeks in the winter season would mean hardship and suffering in thousands of cases. The drafts on all classes of people are especially heavy at this time, and a compulsory vacation of the mill workers for two weeks would produce results from which it would take a long time to recover.

We have been told that those who are not serving their country at the front must serve at home, and this is true. For this reason it is proper that every wheel should be kept turning and that every hand should be kept busy. People could not stop eating or cease from burning coal because they were out of work. Consumption would go on while production was at a standstill, a condition not devolently to be desired, as this paper sees it.

It is a good time to avoid hysteria. The country is at war, the times are trying and exciting and many are crying "lo here!" and "lo there!" The thing for the people to do is to keep their heads to the best of their ability and keep on about their business. There are perplexities enough without creating any more. The interests of the country demand that business shall go forward and not stand still or retrograde, and in the circumstances the proposition to close down the industries for a fortnight seems impracticable, hysterical and foolish.

Such enlargements and improvements as are proposed in connection with the work of the Army and Navy Association here would be cordially welcomed, not only by the men directly affected, but by the people of the city. Let them come. Not too much can be done for the men who are standing between free institutions and the threat beyond the seas.

It is said that American soldiers in France are given their choice between rum and coffee when preparing to go "over the top," and that they almost invariably take coffee. One would hardly think it in view of the mighty effort that is considered necessary to keep them away from rum in this country.

The Interstate Commerce Commission grants something to the railroads east of the Mississippi in the way of rate increases but not all that they asked for. The roads must learn to follow the example of their employees and ask for more than they expect to get.

And now New Hampshire is called upon to raise \$8,000,000 through the savings stamp method. As this paper has frequently remarked, the calls are coming thick and fast, and the indications are that they will continue to do so for some time to come.

An appropriation of \$498,000 would make conditions at the navy yard even livelier than they are now. And the fact that such an appropriation is among the possibilities is of prime interest to the people of this city and state.

The price of bread in Chicago has been reduced to seven cents a pound. This is encouraging and it is hoped that the movement may work its way east as waves of abnormal weather are so apt to do.

A Boston speaker says the sugar shortage is a good thing for the health of the people and the preservation of their teeth. But thus far no improvement in their language is noticeable.

The drift in Massachusetts last Tuesday, when many cities held their annual elections, was distinctly toward license. The Bay State appears to be not ready for a bone-dry country.

HALIFAX SURVIVORS

Herald Man Accompanies Them From Portland to Boston.

Five survivors from the horror-stricken and devastated city of Halifax passed through this city last night on the train that left here for Boston at 7.55. The party, numbering five, two of them young girls, were the first to leave this city after the explosion of the munition ship in the harbor on Thursday that resulted in the north end of the beautiful city being made flat, either from the force of the impact or the fire that followed shortly afterwards.

"It was terrible to see the babies lying in the streets, in the fields and among the wreckage; yes, everywhere in fact, crying, crying, for someone probably their mothers, and their mothers will never answer some of them, for they are gone; yes, either killed or burned beneath the wreckage. But then, some of them, in fact a great number of the babies were silent for the force of the impact had claimed these innocent lives. Those that were crying would occasionally be claimed and then be taken to the improvised morgue to be laid on the stone slabs to await identification."

This was the story related to a Herald representative last night by one of the women among the survivors when asked her knowledge of the worst scenes that she had witnessed. In continuing, she said: "It would be impossible to describe the condition the city is in. The streets are full of fallen buildings, not a pane of glass remains whole in the city and the cries from the injured only adds to the horror of the scene."

The Herald's informant was one of the party of survivors and was accompanied by another young girl, both of them not over 16 years of age. They had been attending Mount St. Vincent academy, located at Rockingham, a suburb of Halifax that was somewhat affected by the force of the impact.

Both of the girls were bound for Boston and thence to their homes in Dorchester. One of them bore evidence of being in the thick of the catastrophe. On her forehead was a deep, ugly gash, which she said was caused by flying glass; he rhinoids, both of them were covered with small cuts, also from the same cause. The injured girl's companion bore no signs of having been injured, neither would she say that she had been hurt.

Occasionally the wounded girl would place her head in her hands as if she were seeking relief from the scalp wound. Both were evidently deeply affected by the scenes of horror and suffering that they had witnessed.

The other members of the survivors' party included a New York business man, a Montreal business man and a Canadian officer. The latter had been cautioned by his government to say nothing about what he had seen or heard.

The other two business men talked freely of their experiences after the explosion. Both told stories of almost unbelievable scenes, stating as did the two young girls, that it would be almost impossible to describe the scenes in words.

One of the men, the one from New York, related a story of heroism on behalf of the Montreal man, telling of the work he had done in relieving the suffering by applying bandages and assisting in the rescue work and caring for the wounded and dead.

At Boston an impressive scene took place when the two girls were joined by their parents and brothers and sisters. Both went directly to their homes in Dorchester.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Takes Position at Bath
William E. Higgins, for several years a leadingman shipfitter in the Industrial Department at the Portsmouth navy yard, has accepted a position as foreman with the Bath Iron Works and reports there for duty next week.

Will Save Scraps
It is reported that the navy department will not dispose of steel and iron scrap until in the future, but will save the same collected at all navy yards to be used in a new government steel plant to be established in Virginia.

Sues Navy Officer
Mrs. Minor H. Carter, wife of a Wakefield, Mass., business man, has brought suit for \$16,000 against Lieut. Elmer A. Harrington of the national naval volunteers now in charge of the naval rifle ranges along the Atlantic coast with headquarters in New Jersey.

Mrs. Carter alleges serious injuries when struck by the motor car of Lieut. Harrington on Main street, Wakefield, Victor Terminiello, a sailor at the Wakefield range, October 31, when Lieut. Harrington was in charge, is also sued for \$15,000.

It was alleged at the time of the accident that Terminiello had taken Lieut. Harrington's car without permission and was driving without a license.

Sailor Captures Murderer.
Unusual honor was bestowed in a letter sent to Pharmaciat's Mate Frederick B. Ferguson of the Springfield

Naval Recruiting Station by Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy.

The letter follows: "The department commends you for the bravery displayed by you in assisting in the capture of a desperate murderer in Feeding Hills, Mass., Oct. 13, 1917. The reports show that the man had already killed three people and that you fearlessly entered the room in which he had barricaded himself. Josephus Daniels."

Commander J. B. Brady of the Boston Recruiting Station forwarded the Secretary's letter and added: "The recruiting officer congratulates you on receiving this letter of commendation from the Secretary of the Navy."

Young Ferguson assisted Chief Edward Bromage of West Springfield in the capture of Fred Gallierani, who was located in his mother's house in Feeding Hills. Notwithstanding Gallierani fired upon officers when they entered the house and frightened them away, Mate Ferguson had the courage of a lion. He entered the house and looked through several rooms. When Chief Bromage later called for volunteers to go inside and make a further search, Ferguson was the only one to offer his services. In fact, he was the first to enter, Chief Bromage following.

Back on the Old Job
Jeremiah Sweeney for several years employed at the Portsmouth Brewing company has taken a former position which he held at the yard power plant.

Now Have a Full Band.
The navy yard band has now reached its full complement of 22 men and shows a decided improvement with full ranks. This is the largest number allowed by the department since the band was organized for the local station, which up to the time war was declared had 15 men.

Reported on Friday.
Commander A. C. Almy, U. S. N., retired, who was recently ordered to active duty as aid to the commandant, reported for duty at the local yard on Friday.

More Changes Coming.
A few more important changes are scheduled to follow at this station at an early date. Greater speed is said to be desired.

Will Go to Training Camp.
Captain Lawrence Reed, U. S. M. C., has been detached and ordered to Quantico training camp.

Going to France.
Lieut. Geo. U. S. M. C., on duty at the naval prison, has been detached and received preliminary orders for France.

RAILROAD NOTES

Engineer Albert Ham of the day switcher in the Boston and Maine yard, has been assigned to the night crew. Engineer Tom McCarthy takes Engineer Ham's run.

Charles H. Miller of Kittery Point has accepted position as yard clerk for the Boston and Maine at the local station.

Boston and Maine freight officials announced yesterday the road was prepared to receive all supplies put in its hands for the relief of the sufferers and to send them to the stricken city with all possible speed.

Special arrangements are being made to get relief goods to Halifax in the shortest possible time.

A crew of electricians under Foreman R. R. Tumery are making repairs on the automatic block signals between Portsmouth and Elliot.

One switching crew in the local yard has been taken off owing to the lack of work.

FULL OF CHALLENGES.

The construction force employed on contract work at the Rockingham Light and Power Company have caught the bowling fever and are putting much spare time on the local alleys. They are feeling pretty good over their recent victories and have issued a challenge to the police, press club and City Hall Five. No doubt that one or more of the teams included in this deft will meet the builders and take some of the speed out of them. The police will likely go against them next week.

Wonderful Story of Oil.
Write today for story of how I financed three oil wells now producing; four others now being drilled; \$160,000 refinery being rushed to completion—all in 90 days. Every new well advances stock; 5 advances already; 100 wells planned for next year. Reads like a romance. N. A. Reinert & Co., 346 Transportation Building, Chicago, Ill.

DON'T throw away your old carpets. Have them made into durable Peerless rugs. Send for catalogue. Representative will be in town Thursday, will call for carpet. R. L. Smith, Agt., Peerless Rug Works, Newburyport, Mass. nc d8, 2w

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SOLDIER WHO DID SHOOTING GIVES HIMSELF UP

Atkins Under Arrest at Fort Constitution; Civil Authorities Will Ask Army to Turn Him Over.

Harry Atkins, a soldier in the third company at Fort Constitution, who is alleged to have fired three shots at Clarence Allen, proprietor of a night lunch cart, was placed under arrest today by the officers at the fort. The shooting took place shortly after midnight and Atkins made his escape on Washington street. While a guard from the fort and the police were searching the surrounding country for Atkins today, he walked into the fort and gave himself up. The civil authorities, through City Solicitor Emery will issue a warrant for his arrest and present it to the commanding officer this afternoon. Atkins will likely face the court on Monday on the charge of attempt to kill.

THE HERALD HEARS

That a few side bets have been made on the mayoralty contest.

That it looks as if Councilman Raynes was nailed for another try on Tuesday.

That the "smart set" declares that a certain young lady is the authoress of a very clever story that is running in one of the popular magazines, under a nom de plume. They wonder why "Betty" refuses to receive congratulations.

That a certain young lady showed the Dover boys that the finer sex in Portsmouth know a thing or two about skating.

That a certain young lady has been putting off a few Brocho Billy stunts on horse back and that she is suffering from a sprained wrist.

That the federal authorities cannot point with any pride to the torn flags on the custom house.

That the former Democratic police commissioners of Dover, have got to dig down and pay for the police patrol wagon.

That it is said that 15 different languages are spoken in Russia—no wonder there is insurrection over there.

The Hildeford police have a howling team which might go up against the local guardians of the peace on the alleys.

That Christmas trees are going through on the Boston and Maine by the thousands.

That several of the local gunners are arriving back from the hunting grounds, not with a deer, but the "bull."

That Clinton Jewell, aged 82 of Stratham, husked 380 bushels of corn in commemoration of his birthday.

That a mystery for Kittery people during the past eight years has been solved.

That Neil O'Brien and his minstrel appear at Dover on Monday night. How did Neil ever get by Portsmouth?

That a few of our local people are said to have seized the opportunity and grabbed some of the Bell Telephone stock.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS.

Wants Something Done

What is the local committee and the Chamber of Commerce doing to relieve the coal situation in Portsmouth. At present this city has a very small supply of coal and it seems that the Chamber of Commerce would be doing something worth while if the organization would take up the matter of getting some coal to this port by water. Every other seaport is working on such a plan and why not Portsmouth? Now is the time to act and not wait until people are forced to beg coal from their neighbors.

ONE IN NEED OF PURL.

Kittery Point, Dec. 8.

It is very amusing to hear the howl from the Crescent basketball team of Portsmouth, over their recent defeat at Rochester. One would think that the Rochester players were nothing short of thugs. I was an eye-witness all of the game, and giving both sides all of the rough stuff it was 55-56 with that was due them. It was 55-56 with the rough stuff a little to the credit of Portsmouth. In my opinion Portsmouth was beat cleanly by the opposing team which can repeat the defeat a tiny time judging from the last game at Rochester. Why not acknowledge defeat when it comes; both sides cannot win.

ONE WHO LIKES THE SPORT.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

East Kingston—Carrie S. Hills, Brookline, Mass., to Wilbur R. Sargent, Newton, Mass. certain land, \$1.

Eppling—Albert G. Barber, Reading, Mass., to Eben L. Moore, land, \$1.—Last grantor to Helen F. Hall, land, \$1.

Exeter—Guy Furche, Boston, to Phillips Exeter Academy, land and buildings on Academy street, \$1.—Any

GOVERNOR WIRES HALIFAX MAYOR

Sends W. J. Ahern to Learn What This State Can Do.

Concord, Dec. 8.—Gov. Henry W. Keyes telegraphed the mayor of Halifax yesterday morning expressing the deep and profound sympathy of the people of New Hampshire for the stricken city and offering aid in any possible or desired way within his power.

Yesterday afternoon Governor Keyes sent Hon. William J. Ahern, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, to Halifax to make an investigation as to what the state of New Hampshire can do towards relieving the sufferers in that city.

Mr. Ahern will report to the governor as soon as possible.

HALIFAX IS SUFFERING IN GRIP OF STORM

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stalled in snow drifts at different points not far from the city.

With every building more or less damaged, men, women and children huddled together as best they could during the terrific storm in an attempt to keep warm. Every window is smashed in all buildings and this further added to the suffering.

There is scarcely enough blankets to cover the wounded and the survivors that were uninjured have passed a terrible 24 hours during the storm.

Fires are almost out of the question. Many of the uninjured are hungry and the only lights are from candles or kerosene lamps.

The Citizens' Finance committee announced today that there were 20,000 homeless, most of them from the poorer section of the city. The committee also reported that 4000 buildings and dwellings were destroyed.

The actual losses and cost of temporary maintenance is estimated at \$30,000,000 by the committee.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 8.—Bedding, clothing, boots and surgical dressings are in urgent need to relieve the suffering people in Halifax.

A telegram to Governor McCall from the chairman of the relief committee stated that glass would be sent as soon as possible in order that the broken windows may be restored and the home that are left standing be made habitable.

Governor McCall called the Massachusetts committee together and plans were perfected to send a ship load of supplies. The steamer will leave at 10 a. m. tomorrow morning.

The Massachusetts committee is making all efforts to get in touch with associations and societies over New England that have already collected supplies. It is the plan of the committee to have the supplies that have been gathered sent to this city.

Amherst, N. S., Nov. 8.—An estimate of 4000 dead in Halifax is contained in a private telegram received in Boston today. The telegram is addressed to a Boston undertaker and requests that all Boston men in this line of business organize for the purpose of shipping 4000 coffins at once.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 8.—The Massachusetts relief train that left Boston Thursday night arrived in this city today. There is no way of estimating the number of dead with any degree of accuracy.

The reports today of 1600 is generally accepted as the authentic figure. In one morgue 350 bodies were viewed by many today in an attempt to identify dead or missing relatives.

A. Burlingame heirs to James C. Burlingame for life and then to Hattie Peavey and Lucy Burlingame, Arbor street premises.

Hampton—Florence M. Weinbeck, Lowell, to Charles G. Fringle, Lawrence, lot 26, Boar's Head, \$1.

Hampton Falls—Richard J. Shute, Exeter, to Walter H. Farmer as Applecrest Farm Company, lands and buildings, \$1.

Newmarket—Newmarket Manufacturing Company to Alexis Pelletier and Alexander Magnon, land and dwelling, \$1.

Portsmouth—Edith P. Barney, Somerville, Mass., to Joseph S. Elliott, one third Maplewood Avenue premises, \$1.

Consolidation Coal Company to Mary T. Garland, land on Lafayette road, \$1.

Rye—Huldah Salter, Pittsford, Vt., et alia to Alice H. Studebaker, South Bend, Ind., land, \$1.

PERSONALS

Sec. William M. Forgrave of the X. M. C. A. is passing the day in Boston.

The Misses Collins and O'Brien of the internal revenue office force are passing the week-end at their homes in Concord.

Lieut. Morrison Margeson, U. S. A., son of Ralph C. Margeson, who has been on leave from the big army, command in Georgia, has been here for a few days visiting his father and family. He left today to resume his official duties.

IN MEMORY

In sad and loving memory of our beloved husband and father, Charles E. Huntress, who departed from us Dec. 8, 1916.

The midnight stars are gleaming upon a lonely grave.

Where sleeping without dreaming lies the one we could not save;

In dreams we see his dear, sweet face, and kiss his cold, cold brow,

And whisper as we loved him then, we love his memory now.

Mrs. Charles E. Huntress and Children.

NEWFIELDS BURGLARS

SECURE NO BOOTY

Newfields, Dec. 8.—The store of Albert C. Thompson was entered Thursday night by burglars, who gained entrance by breaking a pane of glass. So far as can be discovered, nothing was stolen, there being no money in the cash drawer.

The bouncing girl baby born on an Elevated car in East Boston yesterday forenoon might be named Ellie—or perhaps you could suggest a more appropriate name.—Boston Globe.

Down South they might call her Carline.—Concord Monitor.

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THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Snow with rising temperature tonight; Sunday clearing, increasing east winds.

Sun Rises..... 7:00
Sun Sets..... 4:12
Length of Day..... 9:12
High Tide..... 6:11 a.m. 6:38 p.m.
Moon Rises..... 1:09 a.m.
Light Automobile Lamps at... 4:42 p.m.

The American Red Cross was quick to respond to the Halifax disaster, and as soon as word was received of the magnitude of the disaster, relief trains were immediately started. It is a wonderful organization. Do you belong?

The Herald suggests that Portsmouth do something for the Halifax sufferers.

Help boost Portsmouth! Join The Herald's big booster crowd. There is much to commend the boosting habit.

Don't ever knock in political matters. Honest criticisms are healthy.

HOLIDAY GOODS ARE OPENING DAILY

Frequent visits to our store will result in opportunities to obtain the most desirable things in the market. You are cordially invited to come and look around.

LEWIS E. STAPLES
11-13 MARKET STREET

HASSETT'S Music and Art Shoppe

115-119 Congress St.

This store is a gateway to the whole world of Victrola Music.

Any instrument or record made by the Victor Company can be bought through us.

A hearty invitation is extended to music lovers to visit us frequently, whether they desire a demonstration of the Victrola, or just to listen to some of their favorite music.

Victors and Victrolas, \$10 to \$400. We will gladly explain our easy terms on request.

The Victrola Records

FIRE THREE SHOTS AT PROP. ALLEN

A belligerent soldier with a revolver caused considerable excitement on the Square at about 12:29 this morning, when he fired three shots at Clarence R. Allen, the proprietor of a lunch wagon on Pleasant street. Fortunately his shooting was wild and none of the shots took effect.

The soldier then ran down Pleasant, turned in State street and when last seen was running down Washington street, and up to two o'clock this morning he had not been captured.

The soldier, along with another, had been drinking and while in the lunch cart one became so abusive that Officer Gray took him to the station. His chain later returned to the cart and began to abuse the police in general and Mr. Allen put him out of the cart.

On the sidewalk he pulled a gun and began shooting. He fired one shot and a second later two more and then he started down Pleasant street. As he passed this office he was attempting to shove the revolver into his pocket.

Officer Philbrick who was on Congress street immediately took up the chase along with several others and on State street tried to halt the fleeing man with two shots as he turned into Washington street, but it appeared to quicken his gait.

He was lost on Washington street and all efforts of officer Philbrick and the other officers who responded from the police station to locate him failed.

Deputy Duckert was awakened by the shots and took charge of the search. He got in touch with the fort and a guard was sent out to meet the local officer who hurried over the road to the fort in an automobile.

It was remarkable that one of the shots did not hit Mr. Allen as he was not many feet away when the soldier opened fire.

PEOPLE You Know

Miss Flora McDuffy is the guest of relatives in Sanford, Me.

Miss Hannah Reagan of Miller avenue is visiting in Dover.

Miss Gladys Patten of The Rockingham is a Boston visitor.

Mrs. Joseph Herman of Middle street was a Boston visitor on Saturday.

Frank Lynch who has been ill at the Portsmouth hospital is able to be out again.

Mrs. Reed, matron of the Home for Aged Women, is passing the week in Boston.

Police Commissioner D. J. Pinkham of Dover was here today and called on friends.

Miss Hazel Kate of the high school staff is passing the week-end in Haverhill, Mass.

John S. Whidden of Exeter, formerly of this city has accepted a position at the navy yard.

President John K. Bates of the First National bank is confined to his residence by illness.

Timothy Reardon of the navy yard force is spending the week-end at his home in Amesbury.

Miss Katherine Keefe of High street has returned from a few days' business trip in Boston.

Mrs. M. Hall of Newport, R. I., who has been passing a few days in this city, returned home on Friday.

Maurice Publicover and family have moved from the Paines and taken up their residence on Daniel street.

Frank W. Bartlett of Lymanfield, Mass., who has been visiting friends here returned home on Saturday.

Manager George S. Howins of the shipbuilding plant has returned from a business trip through the east.

Miss Alice Hutchinson and Miss Louise Hutchinson of Peabody, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hutchinson of State street.

Miss Gertrude K. Long, stenographer at the Granite State Fire Insurance Company, is passing the week-end with friends in Boston.

Frederick V. Doane of Chatham, Mass., has been visiting E. Curtis Matthews, Jr., and family. He will spend the winter in Portsmouth.

Mr. Charles Green and family will shortly take up their residence in the Fraser house on Pleasant street, recently purchased by Mr. Green.

Mrs. William Phillips, wife of the well known barber, who has been under treatment at the Portsmouth hospital for the past two weeks, is much improved.

Mrs. W. G. Meloon and her daughters Mary and Kathleen, and Mrs. L. L. Meloon made up a theatre party to hear Harry Lauder in Boston Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Emmons Blaine of Chicago gave a wedding luncheon to twenty guests at the Colonial dining room at The Rockingham Friday. The historic dining room was beautifully decorated with roses.

Secretary William J. Ahern of the State Board of Charities, who Gov. Keyes is sending to Halifax to see what New Hampshire can do for the sufferers, joined a relief train that passed through this city last night.

John W. Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pollard of Highland street has returned to Kent, Ohio, after a week's visit here. He is connected with the Davis Institute as an expert in tree surgery and is making a big success.

George W. Pollard was a Manchester visitor on Friday to see W. F. Harrington who is recovering from an operation for appendicitis. He is now able to be about which will be learned

COLONIAL THEATRE TODAY

NEW VAUDEVILLE
THE CECILE TRIO
Comedy Novelty Surprises.
SNOW & MURRI
Comedy Skit "At the Sea Side"
The 3 WILLIE BROS.
Daring Ladder and Gymnast Offering De Luxe.
One of the Most Pleading Shows of the Winter. Every Act a Hit. Pictures Par Excellence.

with much pleasure by his hosts of friends here.

Miss Helen Fish spent Friday in Salem, Mass., as the guest of Lieut. Gorham Scarlett, of San Antonio, Texas.

Police Officer Anderson is acting as night captain of the police department during the absence of Captain Burke.

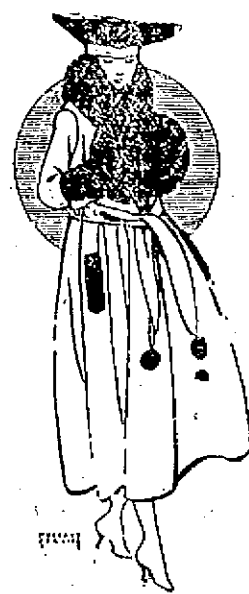
WANTED BADLY.

Napoleon, Caesar, Hannibal and Alexander were all buried before they were 55. Voter, please don't bury me too deep. Give me a vote Tuesday, will ye?

TOM LECKEY.

Wonderful Gifts For CHRISTMAS At Mark-Down Prices

Suits, Coats, Furs, Dresses, Raincoats, Sweaters and Waists are useful and serviceable and appreciated.



We have a large stock of them for you to select from at reduced prices.

Come early and get your share of the values offered.

A small deposit will hold them for you.

THE SIEGEL STORE CO.,

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RYE NEWS

Rye, Dec. 8.—At the Congregational church next Sunday Rev. James Plagg will preach in the morning on "The Children of Issaiah and Their Modern Successors." The new Pilgrim Hymnal will be used for the first time in the service of song, Bible school at noon. Evening worship at 7.30. This will be a service of song, using the new Hymnal. The pastor will give a sketch of the history of some of the hymns.

At the Red Cross meeting on Friday, plans were completed to canvas the town in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. war work council. The collectors have been provided with cards printed in red, "A Call to the Colors! Rye

Honor List for Y. M. C. A. War Work," on which the people who contribute will be asked to sign their names and the amount they give. While demands for money are constantly coming, the interest is still keen in the town to do all possible in their power to aid in the work of relieving the suffering in warring nations at home or abroad. In this instance the amount asked for is not large. Forty dollars will be collected easily and no doubt over-subscribed as all other calls have been.

The Rye Parent-Teachers' association has grown rapidly in membership and interest under the able leadership of the President, Mrs. Shirley Brown. On December 13, a winter party, knitting circle and Victrola demonstration is to be given for members only. The

invitation reads, "If you do not play whist, bring your knitting." This association has done much to create a live interest in the schools of the town. Schools which have under the supervision of Mr. Carl Cortin, been brought to a high standard of excellence. The Junior High school which was added to the courses in the Wedge wood school this fall and which caused so much adverse criticism has proved to be a most practical addition. If three months' trial is an honest test. This fact seems to prove, once more that the rate of all progressive movements is the same; in the face of great opposition, they are launched by those who get the vision of the future's needs and soon they are accepted by the rank and file of humanity and either tolerated or approved according to the "light that is in them."

PORTSMOUTH-NEWINGTON BUS LINE.

Time table in Effect Dec. 7.
Leave Portsmouth—5.35 and 8.00 a. m., 1.00 and 4.30 p. m.
Leave Newington—7.30 and 8.30 a. m., 1.30 and 4.00 p. m.

A. W. HORTON.

The organization is being perfected in this state for the Red Cross drive for membership. As \$1.00 is all that will be asked of anybody it would appear as though the state should turn in its full quota of members and there is a certainty that this city will.

OBITUARY

Richard P. Fullam

Richard P. Fullam died on Friday evening at his home at 637 Islington street, after a weeks illness with pneumonia. He was a native of Ireland and has been in this country and city about twenty-five years, working the greater part of that time in the Jones Brewing Company. He leaves two sons, Peter A. of this city, and Richard J. of Camp Devens; five brothers, James, Thomas and John of this city, and Peter and Lawrence in Ireland. He was a member of the Division No. 1, A. O. H., and the Sagamore Engine Company.

"LIFE OF OUR SAVIOR"
BY REFLECTOSCOPE

This Saturday and Sunday the meetings at the Salvation Army will be conducted by Captain and Mrs. Lawrence. Next Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, there will be a special lecture: "The Life of Our Savior," illustrated by the stereopticon and reflectoscope.

Captain Lawrence owns the largest and best reflectoscope in this city and the public can rest assured that the pictures next Wednesday will be well worth seeing.

There has been a jam of people on the trains east since the Halifax horror.

The politicians are all wearing long faces.

COLONIAL THEATRE, All Next Week, Commencing Monday Matinee, DEC. 10

Special Engagement of the Most Exclusive and Finest Stock Organization on Tour. In fact, 'Recognized to be the Best.'

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Presenting Broadway's Most Successful Plays--With Complete Productions and Superb Acting Company.

SPECIAL MONDAY
Laurette Taylor's International Comedy Success
"PEG O' MY HEART"
By J. Hartley Manners.
First Time at Popular Prices.

TUESDAY
A Timely Story of the Christmas Season
"THE CINDERELLA MAN"
A Play of Strong Appeal to Women.

OTHER PLAYS TO BE PRESENTED

WEDNESDAY
The Funny Farce
"OFFICER 666"
A Laugh a Minute.

THURSDAY MATINEE
The Sensational Drama
"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR"

THURSDAY EVENING
The Powerful Play
"PAID IN FULL"
By Eugene Walter.

FRIDAY
The Pretty Love Story
"ONE DAY"
Sequel of "Three Weeks"
By Elinor Glynn.

SATURDAY
The Comedy Hit
"READY MONEY"
A Story of Love and Risk.

Matinee Every Day, 10c, 20c

POSITIVELY NO CHILDREN IN ARMS ADMITTED.
SEATS NOW ON SALE AT BOX OFFICE

Evenings, 10c, 20c, 30c, 50c

RELIEF RED CROSS TRAINS ON WAY TO HALIFAX

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—Two special Red Cross trains with two complete hospital units are being rushed through New England tonight, with right of way over all traffic, toward the stricken city of Halifax.
The relief work of the Red Cross will be well under way by the time this unit arrives, as there were six active Red Cross workers on the train from Boston which will arrive in Halifax tonight and they have a good supply of materials.
President Wilson today telegraphed to the Governor General of Canada, of the "heartfelt sympathy and grief of the people of the United States to the noble friends of the Dominion."

U. S. AT WAR WITH AUSTRIA

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—War between the United States and Austria-Hungary was formally declared today. Congress without a dissenting vote voted for the resolution and President Wilson's appeal that a state of war exist between the United States and the Imperial government of Austria-Hungary, and authorizing the President of the United States to employ the armed forces of the army and navy. The resolution was signed by President Wilson at 5:03 without formality. It had passed the senate after but one hour debate by a vote of 75 to 0, and in the house by a vote of 363 to 1.
Representative London of the New York socialist voting no, Senator La Follette who opposed the resolution de-

claring war on Germany, did not vote. He was not present when the vote was called. Later he said that he did not hear the call, but if he had been present he would have voted for the resolution if it carried an amendment that no Austrian territory was to be taken.

BOWLING

The Patternmakers of the Navy Yard defeated the Blacksmiths on Thursday evening at the Arcade Alleys rolling a high total. The scores:

Patternmakers.	86	85	70-244
Wedeson	86	85	70-244
Thompson	92	91	97-280
Mettell	89	106	87-281
Couten	94	91	79-254
Cressey	93	101	90-287
	454	479	433 1266
Blacksmiths			
Hartnett	86	75	85-246
Fernald	86	79	83-258
C. Flannigan	96	73	71-245
C. Flannigan	76	83	81-255
Blake	88	81	89-255
	432	397	420 1239

Firemen's League.
In the Firemen's Bowling League at the Hogan Alleys on Friday evening the Kearsarge Engine Co. defeated the Goodrich team by 88 pins, winning all three strings and the total. Woods was high for the Kearsarge with 252. The scores:

Kearsarge Engine Co., No. 3.			
Miles	76	68	69-214
Fernald	62	77	73-217
Miller	72	68	75-215
Haddock	64	71	60-195
Woods	83	93	76-252
	356	377	353 1093
Goodrich Engine Co., No. 4.			
Ordane	70	65	61-195
Obrey	73	73	70-216
Gustafson	55	43	70-103
Shuffleburg	67	68	70-205
Palfrey	75	63	62-220
	340	332	333 1005

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment, 60c at all stores.

TEXT OF RUSSIAN ARMISTICE

(By Associated Press)
Petrograd, Dec. 7.—The text of the armistice agreement between the 8th Russian Infantry Division and the 31st German Infantry Division is printed by the Pravda. It does not contain a word concerning the noninterference of German troops to other fronts.
Lenine Dismisses the Constituent Assembly.
Petrograd, Dec. 7.—The Central Executive Committee of the Workmen and Soldiers' Delegates has passed a measure, proposed by the Council of National Commissioners, for the recall of members of the Constituent Assembly, who, according to Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik Premier, "do not express the will of the people."

WITH THE SPORTS

Every once in a while the boxing press agent digs up a heavyweight fighter that he knows is going to flatten Battling Levinsky. The latest protégé of the publicity man is Bartley Madden who recently fastened a kayo on Jim Coffey's jaw and ended the fight in seven rounds in Providence.
Madden meets Levinsky at the Armory A. A. show in Boston next Tuesday night. It is dollars to doughnuts that it will be a wonderfully fast fight and it is the same odds that Madden will never, faster, a knock-out punch on the Battler's jaw. Levinsky knows too much about ringcraft to let any aspirant soak him hard enough to win decisively.
Bartley Madden must be a good fighter for he has twice beaten Knock-out Bill Brennan and in two out of three fights with Levinsky he got the popular decision. He is pretty much Levinsky's size and weight and is very fast and aggressive and can punch.
The Grand Opera house should be jammed beyond capacity for it looks like a very busy night for the fight fans.
The semi-final is almost a feature bout by itself for Shaver O'Brien of South Boston and Billy Curney of New Bedford will be the contestants. They will box eight rounds and will weigh in at 138 pounds, at eight o'clock. It ought to be a great fight. Young Chodo and Arthur Ross of the North End will box six rounds in the opening bout and will be followed by Young Clem of New Bedford and Kid Lee of Chelsea.

FOURTEEN CHILDREN AT ST. LUKE'S HOME

St. Luke's hospital now has six inmates and the St. Luke's Home for Dependent Children, has fourteen children. Both institutions are doing a great and much needed work in the community.
In these times of need everywhere, let's have in mind our own charities. There is need of some active local work.
The enrollment of scholars in the schools still keeps on and in the past week there have been two or three families from Kittery move to this city.

ANOTHER PORTSMOUTH CASE

It Proves That There's A Way Out for Many Suffering Portsmouth Folks.
Just another report of a case in Portsmouth. Another typical case. Kidney ailments, relieved in Portsmouth with Doan's Kidney Pills.
Leslie Whitehouse, 35, Maplewood Ave., Portsmouth, says: "I was annoyed at times by a catch just over my kidneys. I felt so bad that I could hardly move about. There was a dull, throbbing ache across the small of my back. The kidney secretions were profuse, highly colored, and contained sediment like brick dust. A couple of boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Philbrick's Pharmacy, checked this disorder and, up to the present time, I have felt no return of it." (Statement given June 27, 1911.)
Lasting Benefit
On October 20, 1915, Mr. Whitehouse said: "Doan's Kidney Pills removed kidney disorders in my case so that I haven't had to use them but once in four years. I gladly confirm my past recommendation."
Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mr. Whitehouse has twice publicly recommended. Foster-McBarn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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WAR NEEDS DIVERT INVESTMENT FROM INSURANCE

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 7.—Financial needs of the government for war purposes are largely diverting current investment funds of life insurance companies from farmers, railroads, municipalities, public service corporations and other channels that rely on this source of capital to a considerable extent, according to original statistics and presented by William A. Hutchison, second vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, before the annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here today.
The figures showed that allotments to the Companies of the First Liberty Loan and their subscriptions to the Second Liberty Loan amounted to over \$131,000,000 in less than six months.
"As the increase in the invested funds of all the life insurance companies said Mr. Hutchison, 'for the year 1916 amounted to about \$336,000,000 or to about \$185,000,000 in a period of six months, the \$21,000,000 of First Liberty Bonds purchased plus the \$109,500,000 of the second series, applied for if allotted in full would have amounted to nearly 30 per cent of the increase in the invested funds of the companies within the period of six months during which these issues of Liberty Bonds were made. This will show what a valuable contribution the companies were prepared to make to the government's funds in applying for these large amounts of Liberty Bonds. The amount applied to the purchase of these Liberty Bonds would in peace times have gone to help the farmers, the railroads and other corporations, and the municipalities of the country, so that to the extent of the purchase of Liberty Bonds, the company must now cease to help in these lines."
Turning to the subject of prospective increases in death losses because of American participation in the war, Mr. Hutchison said:
"All premium rates of life insurance companies are, of course, based upon mortality tables which do not provide for the casualties of war, much less of a war such as the present. Born of our confidence in the continuance of peace we had come to regard war as next to impossible for this country. As a result the practice had grown up of issuing policies which permitted war service without any restrictions and without requiring payment of any extra premium for participation therein and these contracts when issued bound the companies of course for all times. Although the older contracts as issued entitled the companies to charge an extra premium, the companies very generally removed all war restrictions from these old contracts either prior to or at the commencement of the war. Since the war started there has of course, been a very general return to the old practice of issuing new policies with war clauses therein, under which clauses payment of an extra premium as required in the event of the insured taking an active part in any war during the first few policy years.

GERMANS TRYING TO TURN ITALIAN LINE

shock of an entire Austrian regiment. Austrian Kaiserjaegers displayed unprecedented courage, using stilettes as well as bayonets in fierce hand-to-hand fighting.
Desperate Stand by Alpini
But the greatest single instance of heroism and loss was in the case of several detachments of Alpini, which held Monte Castelgomberto against overwhelming odds until surrounded completely, thus encircling they made repeated charges, but the heavy surrounding lines held, and the entire party was still on the mountain when the remainder of the Italian line fell back. In another case one brigade of Bergallier lost a great number of officers and men, in the same proportion.

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STEAMER SIMCOE REPORTED SINKING

(By Associated Press)
Quebec, Dec. 7.—A wireless message from Fame Point, has been received that an S. O. S. was heard from the government steamer Simcoe, which reported that she was sinking.

The plans for the Red Cross auction to be held next week, are well under way and Chairman J. P. Conner is arranging some real fun for everybody who attends. All kinds of articles have been donated and with the number of auctioneers that will be on the job, it will be small wonder that they are disposed of early. It will be a chance to help and at the same time get value for your money.

NOTICE



Registrars of Voters of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

The Board of Registrars will be in session at City Hall on the following dates: Tuesday, Nov. 27; Tuesday, Dec. 4; and Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1917, from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m., to prepare the check lists to be used at the coming election, Dec. 11, 1917. Also on election day from 8 to 12 a. m. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names have been omitted from the list.
RALPH C. GRAY, Chairman,
FRED T. HARTSON, Clerk.

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FULLER NOT AFRAID OF PAYING TAXES

Washington, Dec. 7.—"No congressman who votes war taxes upon the people and then takes unto himself immunity therefrom is fit to sit in a hog caucus at the stockyards, and he ought to be driven from public life at once," says Congressman Alvan T. Fuller of Massachusetts, who has introduced a bill providing that members' salaries shall be subject to the war tax exactly the same as the incomes of other individuals. Mr. Fuller said it was only fair to state that probably nine-tenths of the members did not know that the bill they passed at the last session contained this special favoritism to themselves. It was new matter for which the conference committee was responsible. A conference report is subject to little deliberation and practically no change. It is a coincidence that this bill is introduced by the only member of Congress who does not accept any salary from the Government for his services.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Universalist Church
Dr. Dillingham pastor.
Services Sunday 10.30 a. m.
Subject of sermon "What Must I Do?"
Sunday school at 12.00 m.
Y. P. C. U. at 6.30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, No. 2 Market Street.

Services: Sunday morning at 10.45 and Wednesday evening at 7.45. All are welcome. Subject "God the Only Cause and Creator."
Sunday school at 11.50.
A free reading room is maintained at the same address, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or procured. Open to the public daily except Sundays and holidays from 2 to 4 p. m. Also Saturday evening 7 to 9.

North Congregational Church
Morning worship at half past ten o'clock with preaching by the pastor. Evening service at half past seven o'clock. President J. D. Brownell of Northland College will speak. Subject, "Splinters from the North-Hickory not Basswood."
Sunday school in the chapel at the noon hour.
Young People's meeting in the parish house at 6.30 p. m.

Christ Church—The Peace Church.
Second Sunday in Advent.
Services: Holy Eucharist 7.30 a. m. Procession, Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10.30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible Classes 12 m. Evensong and Sermon 7.30 p. m.
The Rector will preach the sermon at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Visitors are always cordially welcomed at the Bible classes for men and women.
The rehearsal for the Christmas

concert will be held at the church on Monday evening.

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First Methodist Episcopal Church
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Rev. F. J. Scott pastor.
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10.30 a. m. Public worship. Subject of sermon by pastor "A Noble Spendthrift."
12 m. Sunday school.
6.30 p. m. Epworth League happy hour. Leader, Miss Edna Thompson. Subject "One for All, for All are One."
7.30 p. m. Evening worship. Subject of sermon by pastor "The Atoning Christ, the Keystone of Christianity."
Friday 7.30 p. m. Regular week-night religious service.

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church
Rev. John L. Davis, minister.
11 a. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject "The Word of God."
12 Sunday school in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.

7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Mrs. G. B. Reid, president.
8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject, "Search the Scriptures."
Selections by the choir.
Bring My Sins to Thee—Havergrat When Jesus Spoke Peace to My Soul.
When We All Get to Heaven—Wilson Communion.
Prayer and praise meeting Friday evening.

You are cordially invited to all of these services.

Advent Christian Church, Hanover St.
Rev. F. Barnes H. D. pastor.
10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject "Waiting for the Coming of Christ, and the Blessing that is Promised to Those who Watch, and the Hypocrite, who says, 'My Lord Delayeth His Coming.'"
12.00 m. Sunday school.
5.45 p. m. Junior Loyal Workers.
7.15 p. m. Song service. Bright, interesting, inspiring. Special music by male chorus and choir.

Short, vital, evangelistic sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Men who are blinded by the Devil, and Men Whose Eyes Have been Opened by the Lord Jesus Christ."
Prayer meetings Tuesday and Friday 7.30 p. m.

Court Street Christian Church
Rev. Percy Warren Caswell pastor.
Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. The subject of sermon "Full Assurance."
Bible school session at 12 o'clock.
The Men's Class meets at same hour.
Evening worship at 7.30 with preaching by the pastor. Short, pleasant service.

The Lyric Male Quartette will sing at both Sunday services.
Monthly meeting of the Four Leaf Clover Society, Tuesday evening at 7.15 in the vestry. This is to be a special occasion. The members will bring in their dollars at this meeting. A large attendance of members is desired.
Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. An old-time, wide awake meeting. Visitors welcome.
Meeting of the C. S. B. P. Friday evening at 7.30.
All are invited to the services of this church. Men in uniform especially invited. All seats are free.

Middle Street Baptist Church
William P. Stanley pastor.
Visitors always welcome. Men of the Army and Navy cordially invited.
Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will speak upon "A Great Assurance."
Sunday school at noon in the chapel. Full attendance of scholars urged.
Men's Class in the Annex.
Evening service at 7.30. Song service. Special selections. The pastor will speak upon "Be ye Angry, and Sin Not." All invited.
The King's Daughters meet Tuesday at 2.30 in the chapel. Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.45 in the Guild room.
The Woman's Missionary Society

meets Wednesday at 3.00 with Mrs. Fred S. Towle, 350 State street.
Boy Scouts, Junior Patrols, Wednesday at 7.00 in the Guild Room.
Prayer and Fellowship gathering at 7.45 in the chapel.

SPEEDING RELIEF TRAINS TO HALIFAX

Washington, Dec. 7.—A third relief train was dispatched at 11 a. m. today from New York to Halifax with Red Cross supplies and assistance. Railway officials are assisting and will push the train through as fast as possible.
The Red Cross officials here today awaited details of the Halifax catastrophe, word reaching the Navy Department early today that the dead might reach 5000 caused a redoubling of efforts to meet the situation.

The special trains bearing experienced relief workers and large quantities of medical supplies, food, clothing and bedding left Boston and New York simultaneously and word of their departure was forwarded to Canadian and Halifax authorities.
Foster Rockwell and J. S. Elsworth, workers in the Red Cross military relief, are in Halifax. Mr. Rockwell has tonight telegraphed news of the explosion although this message did not mention Elsworth. It was assumed he was safe. The two workers had been sent to Halifax rest canteens for soldiers.

UNIVERSAL CITY'S LIGHTING EQUIPMENT IS WORTH A FORTUNE.

More than \$100,000 worth of electric lighting apparatus has been added to the equipment of Universal City during the past few months. The value of the present electrical equipment is conservatively estimated at \$225,000.
The additional Cooper-Hewitt lamps, Winfield Turner and other are lights, effect lamps, location wagons, etc., have been made necessary by reason of the fact that the advancement in the art of photography making has induced the directors to strive for new effects, and many of the producers after long and tedious days of experimentation, have discovered that artistic and striking results can be obtained by certain combinations of electric light with night brought about by the use of numerous lamps. It is not an unusual thing nowadays at Universal City to see not a single open setting on the various outdoor stages—the directors enclosing the settings with the view of adding to the beauty of their pictures with lighting effects.
One of the most recent valuable additions to the lighting batteries at the picture city is a generator truck with which it is possible to "shoot" a dozen locations simultaneously in one night. This portable generating plant is the largest in use, and has a 200,000 candle-power.

SEAPLANE KILLS SAILOR
Washington, Dec. 7.—Vice Admiral Sims reported to the Navy Department a seaplane accident in the war zone in which one American sailor was killed and a gunner's mate injured. Seaman Claude Albert Baker was killed and his body has not been recovered. It is assumed the accident occurred at sea, though this was not definitely stated in the despatch. Baker enlisted at Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 27, 1916. His father is William B. Baker, Sparrow's Point, Md.

Richard T. Thompson, first class gunner's mate, suffered a fracture of the right thigh. He resided in France Aug. 25, 1917. His father is E. J. Thompson, Sr., Raleigh, N. C.
It was thought that some of the refugees from the Halifax disaster would be on the "Yankee" when it went through this city at 7.20 Friday evening, but it appeared that the cars that were attached to this train, left Halifax at 7.45 Thursday morning a full half hour before the explosion. All they knew of the disaster was what they had picked up on the train and at St. Johns last night.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price \$1.25.

AMERICANS INJURED BY GERMAN BOMB

(By Associated Press)
American Army in France, Dec. 7.—A bomb dropped by a German aviator in a small village where two American aviators were passing through on foot injured the two Americans and another man. All three are in the hospital but their injuries are not serious.

GERMANS GAIN ON ITALIAN FRONT

(By Associated Press)
The Italians are hard pressed by the enemy with greatly superior forces and gun power, and the Austro-Germans have made additional gains but they have paid a great price in casualties.
At the last account the Italian line was still holding and the enemy were being held from breaching through onto the plain.
Berth war office claims 4000 additional prisoners were taken which makes 15,000 since the new offense has started.
Along the other fronts there are no more engagements reported.
A session of hostilities on the eastern front has extended to Roumania, where an official statement was issued today that as Russia had arranged an armistice with Roumania, but all attempts to fraternize with Roumanian forces has been fatal.

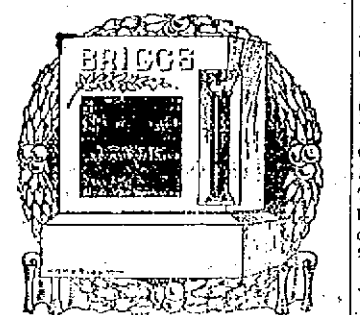
CONGRESS MAY AID HALIFAX

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—A resolution to provide \$5,000,000 for the relief of Halifax was offered in Congress today by Rep. Tague of Massachusetts.

SCHOOL FOR 10,000 YANKEES

With the American Army in France Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press)—The greatest school of war the American Army has ever known, and which when fully under way will probably be the greatest of any army, began operations yesterday. In and about a French town, the history of which dates back 1000 years. When the school is in full progress more than 10,000 students will be in training here.

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TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping with conveniences; good location. Tel. 601J. h d5, 1w

TO LET—Desirable room for gentleman, modern improvements. Apply 187 Islington street. he 14, 1f

TO LET—Furnished rooms, modern improvements. Apply 48 Pearl street. Tel. 226V. he d4, 1w

TO LET—Furnished room, steam heat, all modern improvements, 147 State street. Tel. 228M. he D 4, 1f

TO LET—Store in Glebe Building annex, also two large offices, heated, hot and cold water, in front of Glebe Building. Apply at Benfield's Store. he n30, 1w

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FOR SALE—New and remodeled furniture. Furniture at less than half regular prices; also highest cash price paid for second hand furniture and office furnishings, roll-top desks, safes, counters, antiques, etc. 99 Penhallow St. Tel. 723M. he a1, 1f

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WINTER TIME TABLE

Portsmouth, Dover and York Street Railway.

(In Effect Thursday, Oct. 4, 1917)
Dover to York Beach—7.05 a. m., every two hours until 9.05 p. m. Sundays—First trip 9.05 a. m.
Dover to South Berwick—6.30 a. m. and every hour until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.00 a. m.
Dover to Portsmouth—6.05 a. m., every hour until 10.05 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.05 a. m.
Portsmouth to Dover—6.55 a. m., every hour until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.
Portsmouth to Kittery Point—6.55 a. m., every half hour until 10.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.
Portsmouth to York Beach via Rosemary—6.55 a. m. and every two hours until 8.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.
Portsmouth to York Beach via Kittery and Kittery Point—7.55 a. m. and every two hours until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.55 a. m.
South Berwick to Portsmouth at Dover—6.00 a. m. and every hour until 10.00 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.00 a. m.
South Berwick to York Beach—7.15 a. m. and every two hours until 9.15 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.15 a. m.
York Beach to Dover—South Berwick and Portsmouth via Rosemary—6.15 a. m. and every two hours until 8.15 p. m. then 10.35 p. m. to South Berwick Junction only. Sundays—First trip 8.35 a. m.
York Beach to Portsmouth via Kittery Point—7.35 a. m. and every two hours until 9.35 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.35 a. m.
York Beach to Portsmouth via Kittery Point—7.55 a. m. and every two hours until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.55 a. m.
York Harbor to Portsmouth via Kittery Point—7.55 a. m. and every two hours until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.55 a. m.
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North Church, Sunday, 7.30 P. M.

Speaker—PRESIDENT J. D. BROWNELL, of Northland College.

Subject—"Splinters from the Northland—Hickory not Bass-wood."

DEMOCRATS HOLD RALLY IN WARD 3

Speakers Were Numerous and Crowd Large at Bartlett St. Engine House.

All the local leaders of the Democratic party and a large number of the voters of Ward Three were crowded into the Engine house on Bartlett street on Friday evening where a rally was held. Chairman John Leary of the ward committee presided and introduced the following speakers: Mayor S. T. Ladd, Samuel W. Emery, John G. Parsons, Fred E. Hasty, Joseph Sullivan, James Hickey and others. The L. B. A. C. band furnished music. An entertainment followed in which songs were given by Daniel Kelley, the silver tongued tenor of Haverhill and Newburyport; clog dancing by James Barron; songs by Fred Merrill and other members of the party. A tempting lunch was served by the war committee. About 200 were present.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The manager of Howe Hall, Back Bay, Boston, where Treadwell's orchestra is featured two nights each week, writes us: "I have had band and jazz orchestras for a long time but this is the best I ever had. They play all late music, don't stall and are sure to satisfy your patrons."

An unsolicited endorsement like this would signify that the people of Portsmouth are to hear something "a little bit out of the ordinary."

"GOING OVER THE TOP"

Treadwell's orchestra, the best and most up-to-date orchestra of its kind

In America, has been engaged to give a concert and dance, Freeman's hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 18. They have band, Hawaiian and jazz team and each and every man is an artist in his line of work. They have played the large cities and their success is universal. This is their first visit north of Boston.

BARRETT WENDELL WILL BE THE ORATOR

Barrett Wendell of Cambridge and Portsmouth, for years professor of English at Harvard, has been chosen to deliver the Phi Beta Kappa oration at the annual gathering of the Harvard chapter of the society on the Monday preceding Commencement Day.

Professor Stuart Pratt Sherman of the University of Illinois has been chosen poet. There will be no curtailment in the celebration of Phi Beta Kappa day this year, notwithstanding conditions brought about by the war.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank all for their expressions of sympathy in my recent bereavement, also for the floral tributes.

JOHN LEARY.

The floral tributes were as follows: Pillow, husband and niece; wreath, "Sister," Mrs. Bluet and family; cross, Brother John Murphy and wife; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth; wreath, Mrs. Catherine Ryan and family; wreath, Catharine and Mary Conway; wreath, C. of P. of A.; spray, Mrs. Nellie Crowley; wreath, Miss Nora Holland; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer; wreath, Mr. A. Dowdly.

NOTICE.

The election in Ward 5 will be held at 35 Court street as usual, between hours of 6 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Per order,

SELECTMEN.

CLAIM REPEAL OF LICENSE LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL**Prominent Legal Lights to Make Fight Against Dry Law--Local Liquor Dealers Have Discovered a Ray of Hope That They May Continue in Business After Next May**

Local liquor dealers have discovered a ray of hope that they may continue in business after next May. It appears that prominent lawyers, have, it is said, made the discovery that the recent law passed is unconstitutional. Here is what Mr. Eminent lawyer says:

"The old law enacted gave cities and towns the right to vote wet or dry for a term of years. Several cities voted wet, and under the law it was for a term of four years. Within two years of the time of expiration, the legislature revoked the law and I claim under the constitution it was illegal."

The matter will be taken before the full bench at an early date.

CANCELLING INSURANCE POLICIES

This department has been informed that some insurance companies whose respective homes are in a country at war with the United States, are cancelling insurance policies at short rates, offering as an excuse that our government has revoked their licenses.

They are not justified in such action and have not been ordered to cancel all existing contracts of insurance. A policyholder seeking cancellation must submit to short rates, but if cancellation is sought by the insurance company or its agents, the assured is entitled to pro rata cancellation; therefore every policyholder whose policy is demanded has the legal right and the moral right to refuse to give it up unless the demand is accompanied by a return premium bearing the same proportion of the original premium paid as the unexpired term of the policy bears to the whole term for which it was written.

Kufus N. Elwell, Insurance Commissioner.

CATHOLIC CHURCH FEAST DAY.

Today the Catholic church observed the feast of the Immaculate Conception. Masses were offered at 5.30, 7.00 and 9.00 a. m. The day's ceremonies will close with vespers at 7.30 this evening.

CANDIDATE FOR MEDAL.

Another candidate for a versatility

medal is Lieutenant Commander Thomas Mott Osborne, U. S. N., who in the intervals of running and reforming the naval prison at Portsmouth, gives piano recitals for the benefit of worthy objects in that city. —Concord Monitor.

LOCAL DASHES

Snow is threatened for the weekend.

Christmas shopping is now in full swing.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

Vello automobiles. C. E. Woods, Bow street.

The Red Cross still continues to do excellent work.

Powd touring cars, late models, bargain. Sinclair Garage.

Many weather beaten American flags continue to fly in this city.

There is some talk of more wrestling and boxing exhibitions.

The thermometer was hovering right around zero at 6 a. m. today.

Governor Keyes extended the sympathy of New Hampshire to the City of Halifax.

Sheehan's dancing school, Monday night at Pythian hall. Uniformed men welcome.

The Red Cross entertainment at the Colonial Theatre yesterday was reported a huge success.

Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros., Tel. 570.

The Massachusetts state guard has been ordered out to patrol the water fronts and barred zone.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

With the municipal election only four days away, the political conversation still continues to remain unusually quiet.

Survivors from the Halifax explosion are passing through this city on every train coming from the scene of the catastrophe.

The remaining 15 per cent of the draft will not be called before Jan. 15, says an official statement issued in Washington yesterday.

The P. C. B. club will entertain some of the Republican candidates for the municipal election in their club rooms Sunday evening.

If the Boston and Maine carries out suggestions and the workmen's trip tickets are done away with, this city will be somewhat affected. If this should occur there will be some cause for a wrangle here.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT.**VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET TUESDAY**

Every friend of good government, every citizen who appreciates the honest and efficient administration of the city's affairs by the present Democratic city government, and who believes in showing his appreciation of good service is asked to vote next Tuesday for

Mayor—Hon. Samuel T. Ladd.
Councilmen at Large—Mortimer L. Raynes, Robert J. Kirkpatrick, Walter A. Badger, and Fred A. Gray.

Ward Councilmen—Ward 1, Edward A. Weeks; Ward 2, Robert N. Bradlee; Ward 3, James J. Hickey; Ward 4, John W. Bruce; and Ward 5, Frank T. Cox.

Board of Public Works—Fred E. Hasty.
Assessor of Taxes—Samuel W. Emery.

These citizens will give the taxpayers competent and faithful service and deserve to be elected. The Republican machine, hoping to injure the Democratic ticket, have spread the story that Mortimer L. Raynes, who has given honorable service to the city as a Councilman, would not run and would not serve if elected. We take this occasion to brand this story as false, and to state that Mr. Raynes is a willing candidate, is going to be re-elected by a rousing majority, and will again serve his fellow citizens in City Hall. (Signed) THOMAS J. DONOVAN, Chairman Democratic City Committee.

DANCING PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. BLAINE

The main hall at The Rockingham was the scene of a brilliant dancing party Friday evening when Mrs. Emmons Blaine of Chicago, gave a dance at the close of a dinner party to friends attending the Gooding-Blaine nuptials. Music was furnished by Rowe's orchestra. The main hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

SPECIAL MEETING AT THE SALVATION ARMY

Captain Lawrence is arranging visits from some of the leading officers of the Salvation Army in this country during the next eight weeks. Major and Mrs. Widgery, officers in charge of the northern part of New England, will conduct meetings here the last Saturday and Sunday in this month; the famous Provincial Staff Band of Boston in the month of January and on the last Sunday in January Colonel Alex. Dannon, Field Secretary for the United States. Other special officers will visit, making a full two months of special meetings.

PROFESSOR GROVES AT YORK

Professor Groves of New Hampshire college gave an address at York on Friday evening on the Cycological Effect of the War.



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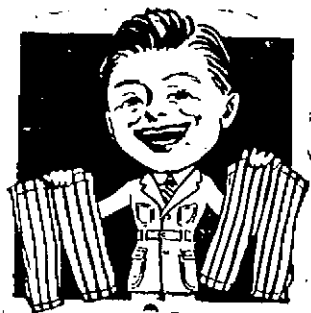
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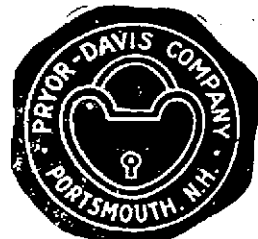
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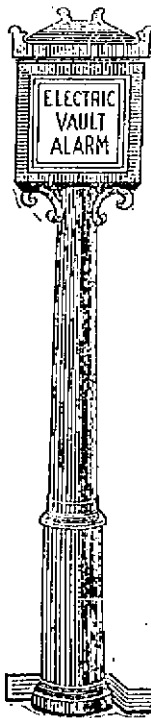


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